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Re: U.S. Patent Application for
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Applicants: Anderson et al.

Sir:

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1. Filing Under 37 C.F.R. 1.53(b) (in duplicate)
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This is a request for filing a **continuation** application under 37 C.F.R. 1.53(b)
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Priority of Danish application serial no. 1013/96 filed on September 17, 1996 is claimed under 35 U.S.C. 119. A certified copy thereof is submitted herewith.

The benefit of application serial no. PCT/DK97/00393 filed on September 17, 1997 via the PCT is claimed under 35 U.S.C. 120.

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